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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RESOLVING AN ENTITY IDENTIFIER  
INTO AN INTERNET ADDRESS USING A DOMAIN NAME SYSTEM (DNS)  
SERVER AND AN ENTITY IDENTIFIER PORTABILITY DATABASE

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Washington, DC 20231

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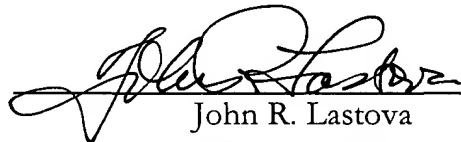
As suggested by 37 C.F.R. 1.97, the undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449, a copy of each of which is enclosed.

The Examiner is requested to initial the attached form PTO-1449 and to return a copy of the initialed document to the undersigned as an indication that the attached references have been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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